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Dear Esther and Josh Um should like this sort of more. And the Sast IP was written for people like you.

I have resigned from the good firm of Addison-Wesley, and will henceforth publish books independently.

There are areas that need a certain kind of publishing. And there are ways of publishing that I prefer to others. It is not reasonable, in these days of high costs, to expect large houses either to give special consideration to these areas, or to follow these ways.

Altogether, American publishers do a good job. It is the gaps which others must leave that I would fill, much as I have in the past. Now I may do so with freedom and resources and the experience of the years. Needed only is the support of those who have understood and valued what I stand for editorially.

I hope I may count on your continued support, cooperation, and stimulus.

Sincerely yours,

Bill

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